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tend the education of our youth whether, since many of those who begin with the Latin quit the same after spending some years without having made any great proficiency, and what they have learned becomes almost useless, so that their time has been lost, it would not have been better to have begun with the French, proceeding to the Italian and Latin. For though after spending the same time they should quit the study of languages and never arrive at the Latin, they would, however, have acquired another tongue or two that, being in modern use, might be serviceable to them in common life.

### TRANSLATIONS HEARD IN LATIN RECITATIONS

1<sup>3</sup>, miles, domum (Jones' First Lessons in Latin, lxviii.3)—"Thirteen miles to home."

Agricolae in urbem oves agent, (Collar and Daniell's The Beginner's Latin Book, 185, 1.6), "The sheep agent of the farmer is in town".

Neque enim his nostrae rostro nocere poterant (Caesar De Bello Gallico 3.13.8)—"For ours were not able to ram these with their frontispiece".

. . . . . donisque furentem  
incendat reginam, atque ossibus implicet ignem;  
(Vergil's Aeneid, 1.660)

"and by his gifts he sets the raging queen on fire and wraps the flame in her bones".

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### THE GREEK CLUB OF ESSEX COUNTY

The publication of the article on American Classicism in Number 11 of The Classical Weekly has called forth from Mr. W. W. King of the Barringer High School, Newark, the interesting information that the Greek Club of Essex County, New Jersey, is conducted exactly as was the Greek Club of New York City, as described by Professor Sihler. "Our president," says Mr. King, "is Dr. Kennedy of the Dearborn-Morgan School, and the secretary Dr. James F. Riggs, pastor of the Brick Presbyterian Church, East Orange. We meet twice a month . . . and read two or three plays of the Greek poets each year".

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